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June 10, 1953

Dear Colonel Baird:

I refer to the inter-agency Near East Area Survey Program which the Foreign Service Institute is again coordinating this year. We have now received an informal list of candidates who are to represent your Agency and therefore wish to conclude all necessary financial arrangements for their participation.

Program and administrative expenses will amount to \$6,160. However, the Department now holds a credit of \$3,992 in unobligated funds originally made available by CIA for ISI purposes in this fiscal year. We would therefore appreciate a word from CIA authorizing us to utilize this amount for the present program. There would then remain a balance of \$2,168 to be transferred to the Department at this time.

Sincerely yours,

/s/
Norman Burns
Director
Foreign Service Institute

Colonel Matthew Baird,
Director of Training,
Central Intelligence Agency,
Washington 25, D.C.

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Director of Training - 1024 I Building

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